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Federal Highway Administration

Subject: ACTION: LTPP Directive P-47

Implementation of Updated Profile Software

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Attached is LTPP Directive P-47, Implementation of Updated Profile Software. It should be transmitted to all appropriate personnel as soon as possible.

If you have any questions concerning this transmittal, please do not hesitate to call me at (202) 493-3079.

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For the Technical Direction of the LTPP Program



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Subject:

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This directive implements the following software to use in performing and processing longitudinal profile and texture measurements using the Ames Engineering PSM8300 Survey Unit.

AMES Engineering Software v6.0.1.69 – This software is used to perform profile and texture field measurements using the Ames survey unit.

ProQual SideKick v1.2.0.4 – This is the 64-bit version of the software used to perform field quality control measurement checks from data collected using the Ames survey unit.

ProQual SideKick32 v1.2.0.5 – This is the 32-bit version of the software used to perform field quality control measurement checks from data collected using the Ames survey unit.

ProQual 2012 v6.3.1.2 – This is an update to ProQual 2005 that adds the capability to read and process profile data collected using the Ames survey unit.

Effectively immediately, this software shall be installed and used on all computers collecting or processing LTPP profile data. Installation instructions, user guides, and software release notes are included in the distribution files.

After installation of ProQual 2012, the longitudinal profiles files it produces from the Ames survey unit shall be uploaded into the LTPP Pavement Performance Database.

The distribution files can be downloaded from the Profile Software folder contained on the LTPP.ORG FTP site. (ftp://ftp.ltpp.org/)

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